

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Department - Allegations of irregularities in execution of works under MPLAD grants in Bheemini Mandal, Adilabad District against Sri T. Ramachandra Rao, the then Asst. Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Bheemini, Adilabad District - Imposition of penalty of "Reduction in pay by two stages in the present scale permanently" under Rule 9 of A.P. Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 - Orders – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.IA) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 263.

Dated:09.05.2013.
Read the following:-

1. Govt.Memo.No.9063/Vig.IA/2004-12, PR & RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt.21.03.2005.
2. Written Statement of Defence of Sri T. Ramachandra Rao, the then AE, MP, Bheemini, dt. 06.04.2005.
3. G.O.Rt.No.242 & 243, PR & RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt. 22.02.2007.
4. G.O.Rt.No.574, PR&RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt. 21.04.2007.
5. From the Commissioner of Inquiries, GAD, Lr.No.77/COI(PM)/07, dt.16.08.2010.
6. Govt. Memo No.9063/Vig.IA/2004-30, PR & RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt. 25.06.2011.
7. From Sri T. Ramachandra Rao, AE, PR representation, dt.02.08.2011.
8. Govt. Letter No.9063/Vig.IA/2004-40, dt. 18.04.2013.
9. From the Secretary, A.P.P.S.C. Lr.No. 898/RT/3/2013, dt. 01.05.2013.

ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, charges were framed against Sri T. Ramachandra Rao, the then Asst. Engineer, Bheemini, Adilabad district, under Rule 20 of A.P.Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991, on the allegations of irregularities in execution of work under MPLAD grant in Bheemini Mandal, Adilabad District. In the reference 2nd read above, the Charged Officer has submitted his written statement of defence.

2. After examining the matter, in the references 3rd & 4th read above, the disciplinary case was entrusted to Commissioner of Inquiries, General Administration Department, under Rule 20 (2) of A.P. Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 for conducting detailed Inquiry against Sri T. Ramachandra Rao, the then Asst. Engineer, Bheemini, Adilabad district and others. The Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Adilabad was also appointed as Presenting Officer.

3. In the reference 5th read above, the Inquiry Officer of COI, GAD has submitted his inquiry report holding that the charge framed against Sri T. Ramachandra Rao, Asst. Engineer, is substantial. After examining the matter, in the reference 6th read above, while enclosing a copy of inquiry report under Rule 21(2) of A.P.Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991, Sri T. Ramachandra Rao, the then Asst. Engineer, Bheemini, Adilabad district was directed to submit his representation, if any, on the findings of the inquiry officer. In reply, the charged officer has submitted his explanation vide reference 7th read above.

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4. Government after careful examination of the matter, have provisionally decided to impose a penalty of "Reduction in pay by two stages in the present scale permanently" against Sri T. Ramachandra Rao, Asst. Engineer, Panchayat Raj.

5. In the reference 8th read above, the Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, Hyderabad, has been consulted on the proposed penalty. The Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, Hyderabad, in the reference 9th read above, has agreed with the provisional decision of the Government.

6. Government, after careful examination of the matter, hereby order to impose a penalty of "Reduction in pay by two stages in the present scale permanently" against Sri T. Ramachandra Rao, the then Asst. Engineer, Bheemini, Adilabad district, under Rule 9 of A.P.Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991, on the allegations of irregularities in execution of works under MPLAD grants in Bheemini Mandal, Adilabad District.

7. The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad shall take necessary further action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

V. NAGI REDDY
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri T. Ramachandra Rao, the then Asst. Engineer, Bheemini, Adilabad district through
the Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad.
The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad.
(with a request to serve and furnish the dated acknowledgement immediately)

Copy to:
The Secretary, A.P. Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad.
The Secretary, A.P. Public Service Commission, Hyderabad.
The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh., Hyderabad.
The PR&RD (Estt.II) Dept.
SF/SCs.

//FORWARDED: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER